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## **REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2001, Applicant submits the following remarks.

## **REMARKS**

The Office Action rejects claims 1-31 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as allegedly being anticipated by JOAO (U.S. Patent No. 5,917,405). Reconsideration of the outstanding rejections of claims 1-31 is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

As previously discussed in Applicant's response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2000, systems and methods consistent with the present invention provide a tracking service that permits service subscribers to customize alarm condition parameters associated with a